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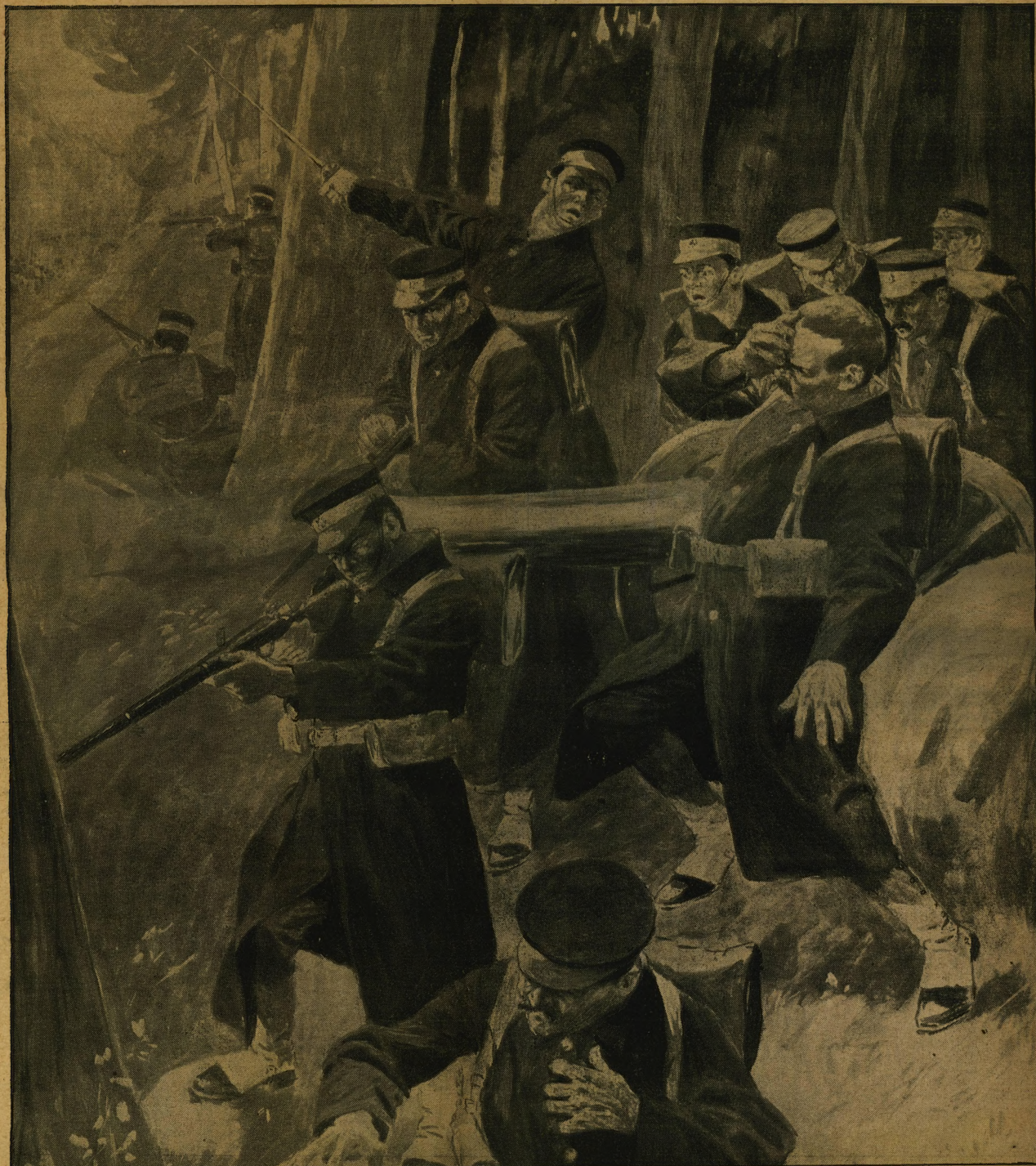
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WINNING THEIR WAY STEP BY STEP TO PORT ARTHUR.



An incident in the Japanese advance on Port Arthur. Step by step, the Japanese army under General Nogi have pushed on until now their siege guns are bombarding the town and harbour of Port Arthur itself.—(Drawn from a sketch by our artist-correspondent at the front.)

PERSONAL.

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 Preceded at 2.30 by THE LADY PURT.
 MATINEE EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY, 2.30.
 HIS MAJESTY'S THEATRE. Mr. TREE.
 FRIDAY NEXT, June 24, at 2.30.
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 SATURDAY TO-MORROW, 7.15 (7.30 time).
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 PRICES OF ADMISSION: To-day (June 22nd), 10s., 2.50 till 6 p.m.; after 6 p.m., 2s., 6d.; Third Day (June 23rd), 2s., 6d., 2.50 till 6 p.m.; 2s., 6d. after 6 p.m. Tickets can be obtained from any stall-holder, the Secretary of the Hospital, the Social Bureau, the main agent, or the Albert Hall. Doors open each day at 2.
 A GRAND BALL will be held at the close of the GRAND NURSERY RHYME BAZAAR TO-MORROW (Thursday), at THE ROYAL ALBERT HALL, in aid of the VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN. Dancing at 10.30.
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Our special weather forecast for to-day is North-westerly breezes; fair or fine generally; occasional sunshine; normal temperatures.

Lighting-up time: 9.19 p.m.

Sea passages will be smooth in the south and east, moderate in the west and north.

THE WAR.

There is news of severe fighting at Kaichai, according to one report, and Haicheng, according to another, in which the Russians are said to have lost 5,000 men. These reports lack confirmation. News of severe fighting in the direction of the railway is hourly expected. Liao-yang is reported to be captured. (Page 3.)

After its raid in the Sea of Japan the Russian Vladivostok squadron has eluded Admiral Kamimura's fleet and regained the shelter of the harbour. Port Arthur is still closely invested; the Japanese main army being within seventeen miles of the fortress. (Page 3.)

GENERAL.

The Mirror is enabled to state emphatically that the rumours of Cabinet dissensions respecting Mr. Arnold-Forster's scheme of Army reform are wholly unfounded. The exact position with regard to the matter is explained. (Page 3.)

Army reform was discussed in the House of Lords. The Earl of Donoughmore, replying to a question, said the Government would carry out the broad principles contained in the report of the Escher Commission. By that was meant a reduction in numbers with increased efficiency. Lord Lansdowne strongly favoured the advantages of the Defence Committee. (Page 3.)

Her Majesty the Queen attended the great bazaar at Albert Hall, in aid of the Victoria Hospital for children, the scene being one of exceptional brilliance. (Page 4.)

This afternoon the motor-car selected for the Mirror 2,000 mile non-stop run commenced its journey, starting from the Thames Embankment at three o'clock. (Page 12.)

Two sharp and distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in Leicester and district. A good deal of alarm was occasioned, but no serious damage resulted. (Page 11.)

Sir Charles Eliot, the British Commissioner of the East African Protectorate, has resigned on the ground that he considers instructions received by him from Lord Lansdowne, and concerning a grant of land, unjust and impolitic. Sir Charles calls upon the Premier to make a public inquiry into the matter. (Page 3.)

Lord Lytton's resolution for the appointment of a Select House of Lords Committee to inquire into the working of the Chantry Bequest, in relation to the Royal Academy, was yesterday accepted on behalf of the Government by Lord Windsor. (Page 4.)

Miss Marie Corelli has joined the discussion on the religious life of London. She asserts that the blame lies with the clergy themselves, many of whom, she says, fail to perform their duties in a manner fitting to their position. Her statements are replied to by Archdeacon Sinclair. (Page 4.)

LAW AND CRIME.

A dispute between doctors concerning the value of a practice in Clapton was heard before Mr. Justice Darling. The defendant, a Dr. Ponder, who is sued by three other doctors—one of them a lady—alleges that the revenue is much below the sum guaranteed—hence his refusal to complete the purchase. (Page 5.)

In the Official Referee's Court a curious story was told in connection with a claim for £297, made by Miss Nellie Kieg against Miss Anna Robinson, to whom she had acted as maid. Miss Kieg said that some of the money was lent to defendant to pay accounts, but this was denied. (Page 5.)

When the young man accused of attempting to murder his sweetheart in her bedroom at Wandswoth was indicted at the Old Bailey it was suggested for the defence that the prisoner had no intention of injuring the girl, and had the razor for melodramatic effect. Sentence of twelve months' hard labour was passed. (Page 5.)

Robert Bullen, a labourer, was at the Cornish Assizes found guilty of the manslaughter of an under-keeper in the service of the Earl of Falmouth, and sentenced to ten years' penal servitude. (Page 4.)

SPORT.

Racing at Gatwick was of interesting character. The Foal Plate was won by Orator. At Gosforth Park, Andover and Lochryan dead heated for the North Derby. The race was re-run and ended in a victory for the first-named. (Page 14.)

Somerset gained a brilliant victory over Worcestershire, Braund's bowling being a feature of the day's play. (Page 15.)

FINANCE.

Stock markets were again inactive, with Home Rails a very unsatisfactory feature. Americans were steady. Ontario being the best of the section. Canadians improved. Among Foreigners Japan rallied after showing marked weakness. Kaffirs and West Africans remained dull. (Page 6.)

BIRTHS.

DAVIES.—On the 20th inst., at Springfield, Old South, to Charles Leslie and Ethel Davies, daughter, KIRK.—On Monday, June 20, the wife of Donald Kirk, of a daughter. (55, Potherton-road, Highbury, London.)

MARRIAGES.

PASHBY-SCHILMER.—On June 19, at St. John's Church, Angel-tower, 35, the Rev. John Pashby, D.D., assisted by the Rev. G. Buchanan Roper, Arthur P. Pashby, son of Charles H. Pashby, of Richmond, Surrey, to Elsie, daughter of E. Gustave Schilmer, of 20, Villa-road, Brixton.

DEATHS.

DONOVAND.—On June 19, at 25, Ashley-road, Crouch-hill, N. Conard, John Donovan, aged 42. Another person, please copy.
 FOSTER.—On the 19th inst., John Henry Foster, Esq., of March Hall, Staffordshire, second son of the late Sir Charles Foster, Bart., M.P., aged 61. Funeral at London on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m. No flowers.

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IT IS A HA'PENNY.

LIAO-YANG CAPTURED

Japanese Reported To Have Taken the Russian Base.

ANOTHER DEFEAT.

Russia Loses 5,000 Men in a Great Battle.

RAIDING CRUISERS SAFE.

Evade Japanese Pursuit and Regain Vladivostok.

If the news of a battle near Manchuria is true the Russians have sustained another heavy defeat. In this fight the Russians are said to have lost 5,000 men. The scene of the battle is doubtful. One report says it was at Kaichau, and another fixes the scene at Haicheng. Both places are on the railway, Kaichau being south of Newchwang, and Haicheng north of that town. There is every probability that the hostile armies will meet near these points, although General Stackelberg reports that the Japanese have not advanced beyond Wa-fang-kau, the scene of the recent battle. He is said to be receiving reinforcements, and will shortly resume his march south, and attempt once more to relieve Port Arthur.

Admiral Kamimura has failed to come up with the Russian Vladivostok squadron, as Admiral Skrydloff announces its safe arrival in that harbour.

Upon the land side of Port Arthur the Japanese main army is seventeen miles from the fortress, with the patrols three miles in advance. The inhabitants of the town are said to have become indifferent to the Japanese bombardments.

KUROKI'S PRIZE.

NEWCHWANG, Monday.

According to an unconfirmed native report the Japanese captured Liao-ying this afternoon after two days' fighting.—Reuter.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN DEFEAT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The following from St. Petersburg appears in the "Petit Parisien":—

"According to a Liao-ying dispatch, the Russians have lost 5,000 men in a battle near Kaichau."—Reuter.

The "St. Petersburg Gazette" announces that a sanguinary battle has been fought near Haicheng in which the Russians were forced to retreat, suffering heavy losses.—Exchange Telegraph Com., any. Haicheng is about half-way on the line of railway between Newchwang and Liao-ying, and Kaichau is south of Newchwang, on the line to Port Arthur.

STILL BENT ON RELIEF.

ST. PETERSBURG, Tuesday.

General Stackelberg reports that the enemy has not advanced beyond Wa-fang-kau.

After two days' fighting and two tiring night marches by difficult mountainous roads, General Stackelberg's troops were able to rest.

General Stackelberg is in a strong position on the railway to the north of Wa-fang-kau. From there he continues to threaten the Kinchau road, to hamper the enemy's movements, and at the same time to relieve the pressure on Port Arthur. He is now receiving reinforcements, and will resume his southward march prudently but firmly. General Kuruputkin is receiving from 1,500 to 2,000 men per day.

GOSSACKS ROUTED IN KOREA.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The "Journal" publishes the following from St. Petersburg:—

The Cossacks attacked the Japanese at Anju. The Japanese were four times more numerous, and repulsed the Russians, who had ten killed and thirty wounded. The Japanese losses were great. Anju is in the northern part of Korea, about thirty miles from Kazan, in the Gulf of Korea.

RUSSIAN RAIDERS SAFE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Monday.

Admiral Skrydloff has sent the following telegram to the Tsar, dated June 20:—

"The cruiser division has returned to Vlad-

vostok without having lost any men or sustained any damage."—Reuter.

TIRED OF SHELLING.

ST. PETERSBURG, Tuesday.

The "Rus" publishes a telegram from its correspondent at Liao-ying, in which he says that the inhabitants of Port Arthur are becoming indifferent to the frequent bombardments by the Japanese fleet at long range, which do but little damage.

Large numbers of the townspeople attend the daily band promenades, and, so far, no privation has been caused by scarcity of food. There has been no attack from the land side.

The Japanese main army is still about seventeen miles from the fortress, with their patrols three miles in advance.—Reuter.

Lieutenant-General Glinki reports: The enemy's torpedo craft bombarded the semaphore station on the 14th inst., but they retired precipitately on the approach of the Novik and our torpedo-boats, which opened fire on them.—Reuter.

"THE WAR A USELESS ENTERPRISE."

In response to a request from the Governor-General for subscriptions to the war fund, a wealthy Moscow merchant replied that in his opinion, and that of the other merchants and manufacturers, the war was a frivolous and useless enterprise, which could only end in failure and industrial ruin; that it had already caused immense losses to the trade and industry of Russia; and that they considered it more patriotic to spend 10,000 roubles (£1,064) a day, as he was doing, in paying workmen, though there was no work for them to do, and thereby preventing them from joining the Socialist agitation, than to assist in continuing a war which could only inflict endless miseries upon the Russian people.

A picture of General Nodzu, who is trying to cut off General Stackelberg's retreat, appears on page 8.

Colonel Emerson, a war correspondent representing the "New York World," is reported to have been shot by the Russians, who mistook him for a spy.

ASSASSIN TO TSAR.

Remarkable Letter of the Finnish Brutus.

STOCKHOLM, Tuesday.

The "Aftonblad" publishes a copy of a letter to the Emperor of Russia, the original of which was found on the body of Herr Schaumann after the murder of General Bobrikoff.

The letter runs:—"Sire! Through lies and false representation, General Bobrikoff and M. de Plehwe have induced your Majesty to issue ordinances incompatible with the Finnish laws, which, at your accession to the Crown, you promised to guard firm and unshaken.

"The best officials of the State are removed without trial to give place to fortune-hunters and persons to whom the laws of Finland give no right to occupy State offices. The most intelligent and truest subjects are banished.

"As it is not probable that the real situation will be known to you in the near future, unless General Bobrikoff can be removed, there is only one way to take in self-defence for rendering him innocuous. The remedy is violent; but it is the only one. Your Majesty! I have done my deed alone after mature deliberation. In the moment of death, I swear by God that there is no conspiracy.

"Knowing the good heart and noble intentions of your Majesty, I implore you solely to seek information regarding the real situation in the whole empire, including Finland, Poland, and the Baltic provinces.

"I am, with deepest veneration, your Majesty's most humble and true subject,

"(Signed) EUGENE SCHAUWMANN."

—Reuter. The remains of General Bobrikoff, Governor-General of Finland, were interred yesterday at St. Petersburg. The funeral was attended by the Tsar, the Hereditary Grand Duke Michael, and the other Grand Dukes.

MAKHAROFF AMONG THE MERMAIDS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

WARSAW, Saturday.

The vast majority of Russia's population obstinately refuse to believe that the Petropavlovsk has been lost. The Khirghises, says the "Privlinsky Krai," believe that Makharoff and his men "dived to the bottom of the sea, where they live with mermaids in earth houses. The only things they want are money and bread."

A self-styled emissary from Makharoff arrived in the village of Altai, where, after giving a seductive description of the joys of submarine life, he collected a large sum of money from the credulous peasants and then disappeared.

Hay-cutting was commenced in the southern part of Lincolnshire yesterday. The crops, although not so good as last year, promise to be up to the average.

The Princess Henry of Battenberg will visit Bristol before laying the foundation-stone of the Nautical School at Portishead, on July 14, and be entertained at luncheon by the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress.

NO CABINET

DISSENSION.

Mr. Arnold-Forster Does Not Intend to Resign.

MILITARY OBSTRUCTIONISTS

We are in a position to state emphatically that yesterday's rumours about Cabinet dissensions, regarding Mr. Arnold-Forster's scheme of Army reform, are wholly unfounded.

To begin with, the *Mirror* has positively ascertained that the Minister of War, so far from having incurred the disapproval of several leading Ministers, really won a chorus of golden opinions for himself and his plan.

Mr. Arnold-Forster was freely congratulated by the Prime Minister and others for a "most business-like scheme" to cure the ills the War Office was heir to when he succeeded Mr. Brodrick there. Whatever reputations have recently been damaged in that perilous place, Mr. Arnold-Forster's is not one of them.

PREDECESSOR'S APPROVAL.

As a matter of fact—and in refutation of a speculation to the contrary made by several contemporaries yesterday—no one more heartily commends Mr. Arnold-Forster's proposals than Mr. Brodrick, his immediate predecessor at Pall Mall.

Lord Lansdowne, too, frankly acknowledged his appreciation.

"Why should Mr. Arnold-Forster resign?" said his most intimate friend, who had discussed the whole situation with him yesterday.

"You may take it from me as absolutely the fact that Mr. Arnold-Forster has not the remotest idea of doing anything of the sort.

"Nothing could be further from his intentions.

"And I think I may add that such a thing was first suggested by certain misguided newspapers to the minds of his fellow Ministers; that is, if they read the papers alluded to, which I very much doubt.

REFORM BY INSTALMENT.

"For the present the only real trouble is the cost of the proposed reforms. It has not been deemed wise to plunge the country into a great expenditure, even towards so laudable an object, all at once.

"For this reason—and hardly appreciable for any other reason—the Cabinet advised Mr. Arnold-Forster to modify his scheme so as to cheapen the first instalment of reform. Besides, the Minister of War is desired not to unfold his scheme in its entirety, but rather to reveal it by practicable degrees."

Some particulars of the kind of opposition raised against the scheme of reform, and some details of the scheme itself, were furnished to a *Mirror* representative by a prominent politician intimately acquainted with the naval and military departments.

MILITARY SELFISHNESS.

"The present difficulties," he said, "are due to two groups of objectors altogether outside the inner circle of Government. One group consists of highly-placed military officers, who insist that the first thing to be done is to establish a General Staff upon German lines.

"Now it is quite true that we ought to have a General Staff, and the Esler Committee recommended that we should have one, but what Mr. Arnold-Forster says, after consulting the Chancellor of the Exchequer about the sum of money available, is that for the moment the General Staff must wait. There are other more important things that we must have first.

"This does not at all please the highly-placed military officers I have mentioned. They want their own importance to be increased and they see that they could find places up in the General Staff for numbers of their relations and friends. In point of fact they have axes to grind, and are very anxious to grind them.

VOLUNTEER DIFFICULTY.

"The other group of obstructionists consists of representatives of the Volunteers. The new Army scheme proposes to cut down the numbers of the Volunteers very considerably. What Mr. Arnold-Forster thinks we want is a small number paid their time and thoroughly well trained, and under contract to go anywhere where they may be wanted.

"At present the Volunteers only undertake to defend their own doorsteps—that is to say, to serve in this country—and they certainly do not get enough training to make them any good against regular troops. Yet those who profess to speak for them declare that they will not answer for the consequences if such a change is made as Mr. Arnold-Forster proposes.

"All that is necessary to defeat the obstruction of these two groups is that the Prime Minister shall back up the Secretary for War as hard as he can. If Mr. Balfour does that, he need have no fear of the result."

LORD LANSDOWNE DEFIED.

"I Decline To Obey," Says Sir Charles Eliot.

OBJECTION TO ZIONIST MOVEMENT.

Sir Charles Eliot, the British Commissioner of the East Africa Protectorate, has taken a remarkable step.

He has not only refused to execute the instructions of the Foreign Secretary, Lord Lansdowne, but has resigned his post and called upon the Prime Minister to hold a public inquiry.

Sir Charles Eliot takes exception to the British offer of a large tract of land to the Jewish Colonial Trust, to the exclusion of the private colonist. This is the text of his telegram to Mr. Balfour:—

I call on you as Prime Minister to hold a public inquiry into the circumstances of my resignation of the Commissionership of the East Africa Protectorate.

Lord Lansdowne ordered me to refuse grants of land to certain private persons, while giving a monopoly of land on unduly advantageous terms to the East Africa syndicate. I have refused to execute these instructions, which I consider unjust and impolitic.

The land referred to is the site for a Jewish colony promoted by the Zionist movement. It is a fine tract on the Uganda Railway, between Nairobi and Mau, placed at the disposal of the Zionists in 1903. The territory, though administered by Jews, is to be under British suzerainty.

The scheme was submitted in August last year to the sixth Zionist Congress, at Basle, by the president, Dr. Herzl, of Vienna, with the formal consent of the British Government.

The membership of the Zionist movement who are pledged to the furtherance of a scheme for the foundation of a new Zion, was then declared to be 329,000. The settlement in British East Africa was proposed as an alternative to the rather quixotic dream of a return to Palestine, which, at the same time, is an idea dear to the heart of every true and faithful Jew.

THE LORDS ON THE ARMY.

Decrease in Numbers with Increased Efficiency.

Army reform was raised in the House of Lords last night by the Duke of Bedford inquiring if the Government accepted the report of the Esler Commission as a whole.

The Earl of Donoughmore replied that the Government would certainly carry out its broad principles. They were in favour of a reduction in numbers of the Army and an increase in its efficiency, especially in regard to the auxiliary forces.

Lord Lansdowne strongly favoured the advantages of the Defence Committee, which brought together at one table the Prime Minister and representatives of the Treasury, Admiralty, and War Office. He believed there would be a great loss of power at the War Office if criticism by the civil element on military policy was altogether debared.

The House adjourned.

KING'S VISIT TO KIEL.

For the first time for very many years the King will be absent from the birthday parade of the Household Troop.

This year the Prince of Wales will take the salute as his representative, as his Majesty leaves Charing Cross at 9.45 on Thursday night for his visit to the German Emperor at Kiel.

The King will sail from Port Victoria on the royal yacht, and will have a numerous retinue.

It will include the Earl of Selborne, First Lord of the Admiralty; Prince Louis of Battenberg, Director of Naval Intelligence; and Viscount Churchill.

DANGERS OF THE ALPS.

The two Berne medical students who fell into a crevasse on the Dolderhorn were extricated alive, but terribly injured, and were taken to the Alpine Club.

One of them died at three o'clock yesterday morning. The survivor has been taken to Kandersteg.—Reuter.

MR. JUSTICE WRIGHT.

It was reported in London yesterday that Mr. Justice Wright, who has recently undergone an operation, was dead.

We are happy, however, to be able to contradict the rumour.

Mr. Arnold-Forster, M.P., War Secretary, visited Sheerness last night to witness night operations on the batteries at the entrances to the rivers Thames and Medway.

The Eagle Hotel, Glenam, a well-known watering-place in County Antrim, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. For a time another large hotel was in considerable danger.

BLAZE OF BEAUTY.

Gorgeous Scenes at the
Albert Hall Bazaar.

ALL SOCIETY HELPS.

Seldom has London seen such a gorgeous scene as that presented in the Albert Hall yesterday afternoon. Her Majesty the Queen and the most beautiful women of the English aristocracy were all there in their most charming dresses, and the decorations of the great hall made it for the time being a palace of splendour.

The occasion was the opening of the grand bazaar in aid of the Victoria Hospital for Children, and working in the name of charity the royal and fashionable ladies had spared no effort to make it a huge success.

Long before three a great crowd of fashionable people had gathered in the hall to welcome her Majesty, and when the clock struck the strains of the National Anthem announced her approach.

Dressed As a Cigarette.

Her Majesty was greeted by Lord and Lady Cadogan, and the small son of Lord and Lady St. Oswald, dressed as a cigarette, handed the Queen a bouquet of flame-coloured carnations and brown foliage.

"I'm too heavy to bow to you," he explained to her Majesty, who did not mind in the least being greeted with such want of ceremony, but patted him on the head, and accepted the bouquet with her most winning smile.

As her Majesty stepped forward a myriad lights suddenly shone out from the pale blue ceiling and a flood of sunshine coming through the windows lit up the radiant scene with surpassing splendour. There were twenty-four stalls, each of them representing a nursery rhyme.

Four-and-twenty pretty ladies, each one with a blackbird perched on her shoulder, sold at the stall where they were all coming out of the pie. Jack and Jill were there, and Humpty-Dumpty; Mary, Mary, quite contrary, seemed a familiar favourite, and amongst others the Dish was Running away with the Spoon; Little Bo-peep was looking for her sheep; while Cock Robin, Mother Goose, Little Red Riding Hood, and Cinderella all were there.

Here was a pretty girl armed with tickets for the Pearl Cave; there an elderly lady with a troop of country cousins, pointing out all the celebrities; then came a beauty, a famous actress, a politician, and a great lady, rapid succession.

At Lady Cadogan's stall, called, "One, Two, Buckle My Shoe," which was perhaps the most popular of all, a bevy of beautiful women were selling sticks and umbrellas. Their number included Lady Carnarvon and Mrs. George Keppel. In Aladdin's Palace the Duchess of Marlborough, Lady Lurgan, and Lady De Trafford sold the loveliest of lamp and candle shades.

Roaring Lion for Sale.

People flocked to the wonderful Pearl Cave, where a marvellous array of gems and precious stones were to be purchased, but the clow of the bazaar was the menagerie stall, whence, above the strains of the band and the buzz of conversation, came the roar of the captive lion.

His fair gaolers prodded him playfully, and announced his good points to the visitors, who seemed unwilling to purchase him.

They preferred the kittens, monkeys, and puppy dogs, all of the most amiable dispositions, while one enterprising lady actually bought a cow, which she asked the duchess who sold it to her to "send it home."

Up in the gallery the crack of the rifles was added to the din. Here, in the miniature rifle camp, Mr. Walter Winans, of revolver-shot fame (whose photograph is reproduced on page 8) conducted the shooting competitions, for which the prizes offered are as magnificent as any would imagine in such a bazaar.

The proceeds of the first day's sale must have even satisfied the fair stallholders, and everyone went away delighted.

FISCAL RETORT.

In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Cremer asked Mr. Gerald Balfour if he had any information or statistics in regard to the number of slaughtered horses, or horses unfit for work, that were periodically exported to the Continent; and whether he had any information to the effect that the flesh of these animals was made into condiments of various kinds, returned to this country, and sold as articles of food.

Mr. Gerald Balfour said he had no official information as to what became of these animals after they were landed on foreign soil.

Mr. Whitley: Do these carcasses go to feed production countries?

END OF TERM AT CAMBRIDGE.

Cambridge University Exchequer yesterday benefited by over £3,000 in fees paid by over 500 bonours men.

For the first time on record the Senior Wrangler was not presented to the Vice-Chancellor, as he is not proceeding to his degree, being only a two years man.

BRIGAND'S STRANGE VOW.

How Raisuli Made a Turban of
His Own Hair.

A Reuter telegram from Tangier, dated June 17, says:—Yesterday a Moor, named Kassim, belonging to Raisuli's district, came to visit a family here whom he had not seen for years.

In reply to questions regarding the brigand, he said he had nursed Raisuli in his infancy, and that at his birth Raisuli's father, who was a shereef (descendant of Mohammed), had prophesied that the boy would become famous.

When Raisuli was imprisoned he allowed the hair, commonly known as Mohammed's lock, by which all true Mohammedans are supposed to be drawn up to heaven at death, to grow, and swore he would not cut it until his persecutors had paid for their temerity.

This lock has grown so long that he wears it as a turban, it going round his head about four times. Kassim stated that when the Shereef of Wazzan went to Raisuli to ask for the Christians (Mr. Perdicaris and Mr. Varley), and gave his saintly word that all the brigand's demands would be granted, Raisuli answered that if he was pressed he would hand the prisoners over, but if in a week his demands had not been complied with he would move Tangier to tears, meaning that he would commit some frightful deed upon the inhabitants.—Reuter.

CHARMED THE QUEEN.

Lucky Song-writer Who Delights
Europe's Crowned Heads.

At her concert at the St. James's Hall this afternoon Mme. Ella Russell will sing "Hedge-rose," "Mighty as Death," "Blossoming Sloe," and "Tandaradei"—songs which have charmed the Queen and set all Continental Europe talking, but which have not hitherto been heard in England.

Their composer, Professor Robert Fischhof, received an autograph letter of congratulation from the Emperor Wilhelm, who was so pleased with "Hedge-rose" that he insisted upon its being sung to him three times, and later ordered a hundred copies from the publishers in Vienna for distribution among his friends.

The Empress of Russia sings "Blossoming Sloe," and in the "Confession Book" of Princess Charles of Denmark Queen Alexandra has named "Mighty as Death" as one of her two favourite songs. Robert Fischhof is a grandson of the well-known Joseph Fischhof, Robert Schumann's friend. He was a great success as a concert pianist, but at the height of his career his health broke down, and he accepted the post of Pianoforte Professor at the Vienna Conservatoire of Music. His songs were so successful, however, that he retired last year, and he now devotes himself to composition.

At present Professor Fischhof is writing a romantic opera, the production of which is looked forward to with the greatest interest by the musical public of Austria and Germany.

HEAVY HARVESTS.

Farmers' Prospects Are Better Than
for Ten Years Past.

The longest day has passed, and although ideal summer weather has not yet arrived, crop prospects in the country are excellent.

Given a few weeks of sunshine, the farmer looks as though he is going to reap such a crop of hay as has rarely come his way. But large as is the hay crop, the fruit crop is equally as bountiful at present. Even the root crop is flourishing beyond expectation in most districts.

There will, it seems, be but really one person who will have occasion to feel dissatisfied with 1904, namely, the sportsman. For no matter how good a rearing season this may prove for grouse, partridge, or pheasant, it will be impossible to make good bags as the "shoots" were so sadly depleted of birds by the widespread havoc caused by the rains of 1903.

PASSING OF THE PANAMA.

Two years is the allotted span of the Panama hat. A genuine Panama, as formerly sold for five guineas, can now be purchased for the modest sum of 12s.

These prices, it is true, are not current in the shops, but twelve-shilling Panamas are being skillfully sold by modest-looking men who may be met in any hotel or in a bustling tobacconist's shop. They have not the appearance of travellers, but when you have got on a friendly footing they will produce from an ordinary pocket twenty or twenty-five Panamas hats rolled up in a small bundle, and try to convince you of their value and cheapness.

The reason of this cheapness is that it is believed in two years' time the Panama will be out of fashion, and the huge stocks in hand must be reduced.

ACADEMY IMPEACHED.

House of Lords Will Inquire Into
Chantry Bequest.

For nearly twenty years the administration of the Chantry Bequest has been freely criticised.

The fund was left by Sir Francis Chantry to purchase pictures of the highest merit by native artists for the national collections.

As administered it has become merely a prize fund adjunct to the Royal Academy Exhibition, and no works of the many great artists who have not exhibited at the Academy Exhibition have been purchased.

Lord Lytton yesterday, in the House of Lords, moved for a Select Committee to inquire into the matter.

He asserted that there was an accumulation of evidence that the intention of the testator had not been fully carried out, and that the interest of the nation and art generally had been sacrificed to those of the particular association of artists who belonged to the Royal Academy.

In the Chantry Room at the Tate Gallery there was not a single example of the pre-Raphaelite school, and none of Alfred Stevens, Whistler, and other artists.

For the Government, Lord Windsor admitted a case for inquiry had been made out and a committee would be appointed.

RANDOM SHOTS.

Ten Years' Imprisonment for Killing
a Gamekeeper.

The circumstances of the Cornish tragedy were related in detail to Mr. Justice Ridley at the Cornwall Summer Assizes yesterday, when a labourer named Robert Bullen was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude for the manslaughter of Harry Osmond, a gamekeeper. He was indicted for the murder of Osmond.

The latter was under-gamekeeper to Lord Falmouth on the Tregothnan estates. On the night of January 26 he met a man named Mitchell. The two talked for a while and then parted. Within a few minutes Mitchell heard three shots, and the next thing was the discovery of Osmond's body shot through the heart.

The prisoner Bullen subsequently sent for a doctor to come to him. The doctor found Bullen with a serious gun wound in the left thigh. Shortly after he told the doctor that a man whom he did not know had shot him first. He turned round and fired at him, but he did not know whether the shot had struck the man or not.

Bullen was told that the gamekeeper was missing, and he replied, "Then I must have shot him. Go to Nancymayn cover and tell the policeman I did it."

Giving evidence Bullen repeated the story, and at its conclusion the jury found him guilty of manslaughter. His lordship passed the sentence already recorded.

CULT OF THE QUAIN.

Japanese War Causes a Society Craze
for Weird Ornaments.

A mania for the grotesque has seized the fashionable world, and quaintness and weird effects in jewels and personal adornment are the order of the day among society ladies.

"There is nothing new in the fad," said a Wardour-street dealer to a *Mirror* representative yesterday, but I believe its recurrence just now is due to the interest taken in everything Japanese. At the opening of the war we had a great demand for grotesque Japanese ornaments and hideous-looking josses and masks. Since then the taste for the grotesque has grown until now there is not a lady of fashion who has not a collection of quaint-looking jewels and ornaments.

This taste for quaintness takes queer shape with some ladies, although there are no instances such as that of the American beauty whose pet necklace consisted of a thin gold chain with a live lizard as pendant.

POPE BLESSES MORE TARs.

Another 150 sailors and marines and some officers from H.M. battleships Bulwark and Montagu and H.M. torpedo-boat destroyer Ettrick paid a visit to the Vatican yesterday, and were received by the Pope.

The Pope, who was surrounded by the members of his Court, passed round the hall, giving each man his hand to kiss, and at the same time bestowing upon him a silver medal.

Then, standing in the middle of the hall, the Pope delivered an address, in which he thanked the Government of "grand Great Britain for the liberty granted to the Roman Catholic religion."

The sailors were entertained at luncheon and Admiral Sir Compton Domville and officers of his staff were afterwards received in private.

"PAGAN CLERGY."

Miss Marie Corelli's Diatribe
Against "Surpliced
Hypocrites."

ARCHDEACON'S REJOINDER.

Miss Marie Corelli has taken up Archdeacon Sinclair's recent criticism of the religious life of London. In her usual shrill and emphatic language she asserts that the blame lies with the clergy themselves.

On June 9, at a religious gathering in the City, the Archdeacon had laid a heavy indictment against London. "Church or chapel of any kind," he said, "are only attended by about 18 per cent. of the London population. London is practically a pagan city, with churches glimmering here and there, like fairy lamps on the darkness of an illuminated lawn."

To-day in the "Bystander," Miss Marie Corelli delivers a fierce philippic on "Pagan London," following up what she calls the Archdeacon's "unconsciously happy hit in choosing the fairy lamps simile."

"It has described," she writes, "the churches of to-day with marvellous exactitude. They are fairy lamps—no more—only fit for show—or no use in a storm."

"It is quite easy to say 'pagan London'—but what if one spoke of 'pagan clergy'? What of the surpliced hypocrites who preach to others what they never even try to practise?"

"What of the spiteful, small-minded, quarrelsome little 'local' parson, who guides?"

Then Miss Corelli indulges in a diatribe against ritualism. She speaks with scorn of "processional services and promenades round the fairy lamp churches, with various altar-hobblings and other foolish ceremonies."

"A deep, religious sentiment lies at the hearts of the British people," she declares. "If Atheism and indifference affect a few, or even a majority, of persons, the fault is assuredly with those who are elected to teach 'the Way, the Truth, and the Life.'"

"Quarrelsome Quidnuncs."

"They are chosen out and solemnly ordained to be the friends, advisers, and guides of humanity—not to be selfish pedants, quarrelsome quidnuncs, and bigoted dignitaries."

"When great dignitaries of the Church sit wine-bibbing at 'swagger' dinner-parties, relating questionable or 'spicy' anecdotes unfitting for the ears of decent women, they have not only lost caste themselves, but have added to the brethreen of their order open to debt. If London is indeed a 'pagan' city, as Archdeacon Sinclair solemnly declares, then the clergy, and the clergy alone, are responsible."

"On their ordained heads be it!" Miss Corelli concludes. "For 'pagan' people are merely the natural outcome of a 'pagan' priesthood. Archdeacon Sinclair, in his interview yesterday afternoon, said he did not think for a moment that Miss Corelli, whom he had the pleasure of knowing, referred in her article to the London clergy; for such criticism, if applied to them, would be ludicrously untrue."

"London clergy are, for the most part," he averred, "a most energetic and hard-working set of men, always eager to do all in their power to achieve what Miss Marie Corelli puts before them as an ideal."

"I fully agree with her that if a clergyman advances doctrines other than those which he was ordained to teach, his place is no longer in the Church of England."

How Clergy are Handicapped.

"Many clergymen spend lives of self-sacrifice and pass their whole time in the service of their parishes. It is because in many parishes they are so badly provided for, and so unevenly matched with the great multitude, that the clergy, despite all their efforts, are unable to cope with their overwhelming difficulties."

"Let me say," concluded the Archdeacon, "that no clergyman is guilty of telling questionable stories, as alleged."

LION AT A RAILWAY STATION.

A mild sensation was created at Kingston Railway station yesterday, when, upon the arrival of a train from Waterloo, a large and particularly ferocious-looking lion was taken from the guard's van and left standing unattended on the platform.

The animal stood with tail erect and jaws open, disclosing a fine set of teeth. Women and children who saw it from a distance regarded it with some apprehension until it was explained to them that it was only a stuffed lion which an enterprising grocer is to exhibit in his window as an advertisement.

APPEAL FOR £340,000.

St. George's Hospital is to remain where it is, and the public will, at a future date, be asked to subscribe £340,000 at least for the purposes of rebuilding it on its present site.

Such is the effect of the decision reached at yesterday's meeting of governors held at the Westminster Palace Hotel.

MAID AND HER MISTRESS.

Curious Story of Temporary Loans to a Monte Carlo Belle.

Miss Anna Robinson—young, beautiful, with a slight American accent and a little house near Park-lane—enlivened the court of the Official Referee yesterday with her dark blue voile "creation," her string of fine pearls, and her pair of most bewitching hazel eyes.

The occasion was a trifling dispute with her late lady's-maid, Miss Nellie Kieg, who was accompanied to the court by her uncle, a sturdy officer in H.M. Customs.

The question which Mr. Verey, the Official Referee, was asked to decide was whether Miss Anna Robinson, of North-street, Park-lane, was indebted to Miss Kieg in the sum of £367 for money lent and spent in London, Harrogate, and during several flying trips to the Continent.

Claim for £367.

Miss Kieg's counsel, outlining the claim, stated that the lady's-maid was in service with Miss Robinson for three years at a salary of £24 a month.

"And beer?" interposed the official referee. "Board and lodgings," said Miss Kieg, with hauteur.

"Miss Robinson, counsel continued, had a book with her maid during her three years' service. This book showed that in two years Miss Kieg spent sums varying from £111 to £68, £30, and £20, on account of her mistress. These payments were all settled at different times and in different ways.

But finally the large sum now claimed—£367—accumulated between July, 1902, and September, 1903, when Miss Kieg, owing to ill-health, left North-street.

Miss Kieg supported her counsel's statement with several explanations. When she went to Miss Robinson, after being in service in France, she had saved £150, and occasionally, when her balance was low, her uncle, a Deptford Customs officer, lent her money, once as much as £119. All these sums, she alleged, were in turn used to pay Miss Robinson's current accounts.

An American Millionaire.

Repayments were made to Miss Kieg in a curious manner, her former maid asserted. An Englishman at Ostend once settled up everything on her book with a cheque for £111, and several times the cheque of an American millionaire was of service in meeting the account. Occasionally Miss Robinson herself paid "something on account."

"How was it," asked Miss Robinson's counsel, "that you, having access to Miss Robinson's jewel-box, in which there was at times as much as £1,000 in notes and gold, allowed your bill to remain unpaid so long?"

The lady's-maid replied that it was not always convenient for Miss Robinson to go to her cash-box. At the same time, she would not have lent her the money if she had not known that she was able to repay her.

Cocktails and Telegrams.

The Official Referee read out some items from the book. In Paris, on one occasion, "cocktails," "tulle," "tips to hotel servants," "money lent," "a hat," "telegrams," and "manicure" figured.

Miss Robinson, who the portrait appeared recently in the *Mirror* as the reigning belle of the spring season at Monte Carlo, having given evidence against the claim, the further hearing was adjourned until Thursday.

SCENE AT A MASKED BALL.

Wife's Sudden Departure from the Dancing-room.

On one occasion, while Major Charles Montgomery Ryan and his wife, who are now appearing as respondent and petitioner respectively in the Divorce Court, were staying at Gibraltar, they went to a masked ball with Mr. Walter Dundas Bathurst, a friend.

The latter, in the witness-box of Sir Francis Jeune's court, yesterday stated that after their arrival at the ball Mrs. Ryan got into a furious temper. She left the room and asked him to see her to her carriage.

Questioned as to the cause of this, Mr. Bathurst said that in the first instance all four of them had been looking on at the masked ball. At the suggestion of an officer, they all put on masks and dominoes and joined the dancers. Afterwards Mrs. Ryan raised an objection.

The hearing of the case was again adjourned.

CABMAN FINED FOR REFUSING A FARE.

The law does not permit a cabman, unless he be otherwise engaged, to refuse a fare. At the City Summons Court yesterday John Harrington was fined 5s. and costs for doing so.

A gentleman had got into Harrington's cab, but the latter refused to drive, because, he said, he wanted his dinner, and his cab was not the first on the rank.

"It occurred during the cab strike, and cabmen at work were remarkably independent," said a constable.

DOCTOR'S SIXPENNY PATIENTS.

Peculiarities of a London Practice Which Its Purchaser Found Disappointing.

There was an antiseptic air about Mr. Justice Darling's Court yesterday. It was given up to professors of the art of healing.

Most of the distinguished doctors present had snatched an hour or so from their professional duties in order to be present as spectators at what promised to be a complicated legal operation, but four members of the profession were there as principals. The names of these were Dr. Ponder, Dr. Wallis, Dr. Burton, and Dr. Ross. Interest was heightened by the fact that Dr. Ross is a lady.

Up till recently Doctors Wallis, Burton, and Ross conducted a joint practice in Clapton. At a house in Thistlewaite-road resided Dr. Wallis, the head of the combination, while his partners helped him to look after surgeries in Chalfont and Chalfont roads. Then there came a time when the alliance decided to sell their practice.

A Dr. Ponder had arrived from New Zealand, and was on the look out to buy a suitable practice in London. Through a "Medical Transfer



DR. POUNDER.

Disappointed with the practice he bought at Clapton, he refuses to complete the purchase.—(Sketched in court by a "Mirror" artist.)

"Agency" this gentleman was brought into communication with Dr. Wallis and his partners.

The result was that an agreement was entered into, by which Dr. Ponder arranged to purchase the Clapton practice for £1,100, on the understanding, he said, that it would bring him in an income of £1,050 a year.

But for the first half-year his revenue only amounted to £289, while £375 was the tally for the full twelve months. That was why he refused to meet bills for £300, for he had arranged to pay the purchase-money by a series of bills.

INSTRUCTIVE AND AMUSING.

So it came about that the partnership sued him in the High Court for the money due to them on the bills, while he on his part demanded back the money he had paid on bills already met.

This situation led to some highly instructive revelations concerning the inner workings of sur-

geries, and concerning the delicate subject of medical fees.

In order to prevent the proceedings from becoming too monotonously medical, Mr. Justice Darling occasionally—if one may be permitted the expression in this connection—vacated the technicalities with the virus of his well-known genial good humour.

Thus at the beginning of the case, after counsel had been arguing over a preliminary point in medical jurisprudence, his Lordship, turning to the jury, remarked:—"This reminds me of the days when rival fleets manoeuvred for the wind. The battle will now begin." (Incipient laughter.)

In outlining the case, Mr. Dickens, K.C., counsel for Dr. Ponder, whose point of view was stated first, said that his client had been misled by Dr. Wallis, when the latter asserted the practice had been in existence for fifteen years. Then Mr. Justice Darling again produced his "vaccinating lancet." "I suppose that even where a medical man has been in practice for fifteen years the health of the neighbourhood may improve," he said. (Pronounced laughter.)

"NINEPENNIES AND SIXPENNIES."

When Dr. Ponder went into the witness-box it was seen that he was an example of the most impressive and dignified type of physician. He proceeded to detail his grievances with great composure and deliberation.

He had been told, he said, by Dr. Wallis that the minimum fee for an adult coming to the principal surgery for a consultation was 3d. (medicine included), and that for a child the minimum was 6d.

The maxima were much larger, amounting to 5s. per visit to the houses of the high class patients (medicine included), and to 2s. for visits (medicine included) in the streets of lower degree.

But when patients came to the Chalfont-road surgery, and he charged them ninepence, most of them paid, indeed, but never came back again. The only conclusion he could come to was that the practice was a sixpenny practice, and that the extra 3d. was a dream. There were, of course a few who expected to pay more.

How did you recognise a sixpenny patient from the others? asked Mr. Justice Darling.

Dr. Ponder: Dr. Wallis had told me to judge by the houses they lived in.

Mr. Justice Darling (sympathetically): The shilling people would not have liked it if you had said, "It's sixpence?" (Virulent laughter.)

Some patients, continued Dr. Ponder, with a reproving glance in the direction whence the laughter came, paid three and sixpence as consultation fees, and some of these, too, did not come back.

JUDGE'S SUGGESTION.

Mr. Justice Darling: Perhaps they did not survive. (Prolonged confluent laughter.)

Dr. Ponder (with great dignity): Oh, yes, they did.

"You see," said the Judge, hastening to explain, "a man might more easily get over the effect of sixpenny worth of medicine than over three-and-sixpenny worth."

Among the inducements held out to Dr. Ponder, according to his story, were possibilities that his services as accoucheur might be required by certain ladies on the books. A letter dealing with this point with regard to a certain patient was read.

Mr. Justice Darling: Does that letter allege that it was guaranteed that she would require attendance?

Dr. Collins, who some years ago entered into temporary possession of the practice, said that at that time the takings were £18 a week, as there was a good deal of sickness about.

Mr. Justice Darling: That is what they call a wave of prosperity. (Paroxysmic laughter.)

The case was adjourned.

POLICE AS PARK PESTS.

Shabbily-dressed Constables Lie On Hyde Park Benches To Trap Motorists.

War has been declared between park police and motorists.

A month ago the limit of ten miles an hour for motorists in the royal parks came into being. It has now been decided to strictly enforce this limit.

Special police in plain clothes have been put on to work with the ordinary police in Hyde Park on several days a week, and the roads have been measured off into quarter miles.

The police wage war as follows:—One in plain clothes lies in wait at the beginning of a measured "quarter." When a fast-travelling motor passes him he signals to another plain clothes man at the end of the "quarter." The second man immediately starts his stop-watch. When the motor passes him he stops his watch and, if the car is travelling too fast, signals to a third policeman in uniform standing 100 yards further away, who holds up the car.

"The best time," said a policeman to a *Mirror* representative, "is the morning. There is not so much traffic then, and a car can be seen coming further away. In Hyde Park we have lately collared fifteen or twenty of these scorchers between ten and twelve o'clock. There are many summonses pending, and they will come on in the course of the next few days."

"Is not the man with the watch easily spotted?" asked the *Mirror* representative. "By no means," said the policeman questioned. "He is not at all conspicuous. Besides, our plain clothes men cannot be distinguished from ordinary people."

"They turn out in shabby clothes, and lie on a bench. One of them was offered money the other day by a gentleman who mistook him for a destitute loafer. I suppose he had had no captures, and heightened the effect of his clothes by looking dejected."

BEDROOM MELODRAMA.

Singular Defence in a Charge of Attempted Murder.

The story of a lover's strange attack upon his sweetheart in her bedroom at the dead of night was told at the Old Bailey yesterday.

A young Civil Service clerk named McMurray, living at Spanish-road, Wandsworth, was placed on trial for attempting to murder Miss Phyllis Annie Thwaites, a young lady whom he had been courting.

The two were not engaged, but had been walking out with each other for about fourteen months. They had some disagreement, and on Monday, May 2, Miss Thwaites received a long letter from the prisoner upbraiding her for her conduct, and saying that he must break off their friendship.

He asked for the return of his presents, and promised to return those he had received from her. This was done.

Attacked in the Night.

About four o'clock on the following Wednesday morning Miss Thwaites was asleep at home when she was awakened by a noise in her room. She started up and was immediately attacked by a man, who proved to be McMurray. She received cuts on the face and fingers, but was saved from further injury by her brother, who had heard her screams. McMurray afterwards attempted to commit suicide.

For the defence it was submitted that McMurray had no intention of injuring the girl. He had got into a very excitable state, and counsel said, seemed to have formed the strange decision of getting into the girl's bedroom to make an appeal to her to relent and to allow their friendship to continue. He had the razor for melodramatic effect.

The girl rushed out of the room and the prisoner, in trying to kiss her, accidentally cut her with the razor. The wounds were very slight.

In summing up the Judge said he thought the wounds were not of a nature to justify a verdict of attempted murder. The jury found the prisoner guilty of wounding with intent, and on account of his health and state of mind recommended him to mercy.

Mr. Justice Grantham passed sentence of twelve months' hard labour.

Family Washing

is only half as much labour since Fels-Naptha came; and clothes last two or three times as long.

Go by the book.

Fels-Naptha 39 Wilson street London E.C.

THE KING'S PROCTOR.

Witness Did not Know Who the Official Was.

Sir Albert De Rutzen sat specially for the fifteenth time at Bow-street yesterday to hear further evidence in the Slater case. Most of the time was occupied with the cross-examination of Maud Goodman by Mr. Gill, K.C., for the prisoner Osborn.

The witness declared that the whole of a letter, which she wrote to Mr. Osborn in March, 1903, was true, with one exception. Mr. Murray, the solicitor acting for Pollard, had not taken any statement from her. She heard from someone that Louie Ford and Nellie Bell had previously been to see Mr. Murray, but she did not trouble to ask them if that was true.

Mr. Gill: Didn't you take much interest in the case?—I didn't think much about it.

Did you know who the King's Proctor was?—No.

Were you frightened when you were told about him?—Oh, no.

She had never written to Mr. Osborn saying Pollard was not the man she knew. Neither had she written to him in order to get letters to give to Mr. Murray.

The accused were further remanded.

TRAIN IN A BUFFET.

Barmald Beats a Hurried Retreat Before the Intruder.

"And how did it all occur?" asked the *Mirror* representative.

"Well, sir, to tell the truth, I didn't know anything till it was kilt," was the quaint Irish reply of the County Sligo harvester, who was in the railway smash at Greencore on Monday.

Continuing, he explained that all the passengers were jumbled together, and very badly shaken.

The smash occurred about 8.30 p.m., when a special train, laden with 350 harvesters from the counties of Sligo and Mayo, was on its way to Kingstown, en route for the country districts of England. The vacuum brake refused to act, and the engine dashed into the terminus, mounted the platform, and made its way into the refreshment room. The barmald made a hurried exit. None of the harvesters were killed, but no fewer than forty were more or less seriously injured. The station was soon like a hospital.

An inmate of Marylebone Workhouse climbed up a flight of stairs yesterday and threw himself over the bannisters. He fell forty feet, and was killed instantly.

MUCH NEWS IN FEW WORDS.

There are 5,380 women workers at the surface of coal mines in the United Kingdom.

William Sample, a Manchester publican, has been fined £25 and costs for posting circulars concerning a Hungarian lottery.

Formerly a prosperous Stratford shopkeeper, William Fairers, aged eighty-four, dropped dead in the street from heart failure while walking to the workhouse for relief.

Ten thousand tickets have already been issued for the garden-party at Lambton Park, Newcastle, next Saturday, at which Lord Rosebery is to speak. No more invitations can be issued.

The 30-knot destroyer Greyhound was placed in the dockyard hands at Sheerness yesterday for a new topmast to be fitted for signalling purposes before escorting the King to Kiel.

THROUGH BLOWING OUT THE LAMP.

Joseph and Margaret Lyon have died at the Liverpool Royal Infirmary from severe burns caused by the explosion of a paraffin lamp.

When they retired to bed the wife blew out the lamp, which was on a table. The lamp exploded, flamed up, and her clothes caught fire. Her husband was burned whilst extinguishing the flames.

DRUNKEN FREAK CAUSED DEATH.

'Thomas Halligan', in fulfilment of a boast made while drunk, swam fifty yards across a canal at Leigh, Lancashire, but sank while returning. Two men in turn went to his rescue, but both were seized with cramp.

FATAL LEAP FROM A LOCOMOTIVE.

Henry Page, employed on the L. and S.W. Railway at Leatherhead, was riding on the engine of an express to London, and attempted to jump on to the platform.

He missed his footing, and, falling on to the line, was run over by five coaches. His head and left arm were cut off and his right leg was smashed.

KILLED BY HIS MOTOR.

A young Austrian named John Peabigan, accompanied by a friend named Richardson, was driving a motor-car down a hill near Caerleon, Mon., when some cattle suddenly appeared on the road.

To avoid running into them Peabigan applied the brakes, and the car stopped so quickly that the shock completely overturned it. Richardson was hurled over the hedge, escaping unhurt, but Peabigan was imprisoned under the car.

He sustained fearful internal injuries, and was conveyed to Newport Hospital, where he died yesterday.

WOMAN IN MID-AIR.

Stephen Bannister, walking along the Kingsland-road, heard a scream, and, looking up, he saw a woman in mid-air. She fell on to the pavement, and was so seriously injured that she died shortly afterwards.

At the inquest yesterday it was stated that the woman's name was Rose Bower, and that she had for years past spent most of her time in the Shore-ditch Workhouse, as she said she could not work outside.

Just before dying she told the doctor that she had jumped from the workhouse window because she was tired of her life. Suicide while of unsound mind was the verdict.

HAS APPEARED IN "PUNCH."

A blind violinist, his wife by his side, presented himself to the Tunbridge Wells Justices and told the story of his sorrows. He asked the Bench to assist in getting them in some institution, quoted the patronage he had in the past received from the Duke of Devonshire, and regretted inability to live by the fiddle alone.

But when the magistrates suggested the workhouse, the pathetic figure before them instantly replied, "Not while this old chap can scrape a fiddle."

This violinist is the original of the picture in "Punch" some years ago, illustrating the "Last of the Season."

SUICIDE TO AVOID MARRIAGE.

Stewart Best, a naval schoolmaster of Portsmouth, who was engaged to be married, hanged himself. The motive was found in the following letter:—

I have got into such a low state of health that I feel I shall go mad. The mental agony I have suffered during the last ten days no one can imagine. Poor girl, I do so feel for her. I know it was a terrible blow, and I feel thoroughly ashamed of my mean, contemptible action. Believe me, it would be infinitely worse to marry her, which would mean lifelong misery for us both.

A verdict of Suicide while of unsound mind was returned.

At West Hartlepool James Cosgrove was fined £50 and costs for using his residence for the purpose of betting.

Three turbine mail steamers are to be built for the Belgian Government, to run in the Dover-Ostend service; and the contract for the first of these has been placed with the Cockrell Company.

London County Council tram receipts for the week ending June 11 went up £3,003-£12,302 against £3,299 at same date last year. The total number of passengers carried during the week was 3,060,436.

Mr. Carnegie has offered to add £100 if the public of Liverpool will subscribe £400 for the relief of the widow and family of P.C. Lewis Hughes Jones, who was killed in the attempt to stop a runaway horse and float.

To escape from a man whom she charged with assaulting her a woman asked him to hold her baby for a moment. She ran to the police station, and the man was still carrying the baby when the Northwich police found him.

A LIFE FOR A BALL.

Isaac Woodall, aged eight, climbed on to a three-story building at Stockport to recover a ball. His parents endeavoured to persuade him to stop still whilst the father obtained a ladder. But the boy went to the back, fell to the ground, and was killed.

SAILOR'S MAD FREAK.

At Stockport John Carroll, a sailor in the Royal Navy, was seen to jump down on to the metals at Edgeley Station, and place his head on one rail and his feet on the other. A porter drew the attention of the driver of an approaching train, and it was brought to a standstill.

For this mad freak the seaman was fined 7s. 6d. and costs.

DIED TO SAVE THE TRAIN.

Alexander Wallace, aged seventy-three, was engaged in repairing the track on the railway at Thornhill, Dumfriesshire, when he noticed a pick lying against the metals in front of an approaching train.

He jumped forward to pull it away, but was run over and killed.

MUCH-MEDALLED YEOMEN.

The Yeomen of the Guard were inspected yesterday by Field Marshal the Duke of Connaught, Inspector General of the Forces, in the garden of St. James's Palace. The veterans of many campaigns were drawn up in line, numbering with their eight officers about ninety in all.

The Duke of Connaught passed along the very picturesque line, seeming to have a word for every one of the old soldiers, all of whom had at least one or two medals, and some of them many more.

LONDON'S STRANGEST COURT.

The strangest court in London is one to which the public is not admitted, but one that saves our magistrates weary days in considering matters of disputes between Jews.

It is known as the Beth Din, and its officials assist the presiding Rabbi in dispensing justice in matrimonial troubles, monetary disputes, etc.

This week the Jewish body, finding that the work is increasing, are inviting tenders for the erection in Commercial-road, Whitechapel, of new buildings to accommodate the Hamelrach and Beth Din, with residences for the Dayanim, or Jewish minister-lawyers.

Yesterday the dead body of a woman was found floating in the Thames near Cleopatra's Needle.

For the benefit of poor children, the Inner Temple Gardens will be open from 6 p.m. until dusk from to-day until the end of August.

Yesterday the L.C.C. rejected a report of the Bridges Committee recommending the construction of a tunnel for foot passengers under the Thames at a cost of £145,000.

After much search a new vein of rich iron ore has been discovered in Furness. The discovery is of great importance to the district as the old lodes are nearly worked out.

Yesterday afternoon Alfred Corbett, aged eighteen, of East Dulwich, was cycling along Old Kent-road when he fell under the wheels of a passing brewer's dray and was instantly killed.

WHY THE THISTLE SANK.

The Thistle, which sank suddenly and mysteriously at her moorings a few days ago, has been refloated, and is now being taken into the basin at Queenstown.

It is officially stated that the accident was caused by water flowing on to the vessel through some open scuttles or ports forward.

OBJECTION TO MILLIONAIRES.

"I don't object to millionaires because they are millionaires," said a speaker at the North Stafford miners' demonstration against the introduction of Chinese labour into the Rand. "I don't object to a flea because it's an insect, but I object to its way of getting a living."

ENGLISH RATES FOR ALIEN CHILDREN.

A firm in West Ham has just imported a number of German workmen, and, as a result, thirty boys with no knowledge of the English tongue, have been placed at the Drew-road School.

This has obliged the West Ham Education Committee to obtain the services of a special German teacher to instruct the youngsters. Pleasant news this for the English ratepayers!

REHEARSING THE TROOPING OF THE COLOUR

A rehearsal of the ceremony of trooping the colour in honour of the King's birthday was held on the Horse Guards Parade yesterday morning in the presence of a large number of spectators. General Oughton represented the Prince of Wales at the saluting base, and the Duke of Connaught was present, with various members of the Headquarters Staff.

NOT ALL WISE.

A mother, whose son was charged at Sunbury with drunkenness, pleaded that he should be lightly dealt with because he had hurt his head, and a little beer upset him. The magistrate promptly told her that he should keep away from the drink altogether.

"Ah! we are not all wise, sir," replied the woman. "Solomon was a wise man, but he hadn't a wise son."

"SNAPPED" THE KAISER.

A particularly fine series of pictures of the Gordon Bennett cup race, taken by the Charles Urban Trading Company, through the courtesy of Baron Schrenk, of the German Automobile Club, are shown this week on the bioscope at the Alhambra.

These pictures include a very fine view of the Kaiser, who was snapped as he was crossing the Automobile Club enclosure.

THE CITY.

Home Rails Unsatisfactory, Americans Steady, Canadians Improving, Kafirs Dull.

Markets were again very inactive, with a good deal more play than work in the mining sections. The reception of the two new loans announced yesterday was favourable. The market has put 1½ premium on the new Transvaal issue, and calls the new Water stock 94½ outright, and expects that the water companies' shareholders will accept the exchange. Consols were dull at first, but they rallied before the close.

Home Rails were a very unsatisfactory market, with an almost general series of declines, despite the fact that the traffic returns of the South-Eastern, Great Eastern, and Metropolitan were all very satisfactory.

American Rails were steady, with Ontario good on an idea that the Canadian Pacific was taking an interest in the line.

Canadian Pacific themselves improved on the crop news, and so helped Grand Trunk, Argentine Rails were listless, business being so slack. Prices did not give way much. At the Buenos Aires Pacific meeting the proprietors approved the new stock issue. Mexican Rails were again a very strong feature, being helped by a good traffic increase of \$18,000 published a day earlier than usual.

In the Foreign section, Japanese bonds were very weak at first, but rallied somewhat later. The new scrip is 2½ premium. It was special settlement day in this security, and the carry-over rate was 3-3½ per cent. The Cuban carry-over rate was a ½ per cent. Russian bonds were supported from the Continent. Peruvians were very good at first. Otherwise most of the movements were unimportant.

Russian and Bakul oil shares were weaker on the reports, which were not liked. English Sewing Cotton shares were strong, owing to the good dividend of its chief subsidiary companies. East India shares were weak. There was a general marking-up of Water stocks, and once more Paris bought Nitrate shares.

Kafirs were very inactive and generally dull. They call for no comment. Much the same applies to West Africans. In Westralians there was rather pronounced weakness, and fewer were expressed about difficulties ahead. Perseverances were very flat at 14½, on gloomy rumours about the property, and this brought the whole market down.

LATEST MARKET PRICES.

* * * The "Daily Mirror" prices are the latest available. Unlike most of our contemporaries, we take special care to obtain the last quotations in the Street markets after the official close of the Stock Exchange.

The following are the closing prices for the day:

Consols 2½ p.c. 90½	Pacific 113½
"Do Account. 90½	Western 132½
India 8 p.c. 102½	Mexican First 82½
"London C. 4 p.c. 98½	"Do Ord. 150½
Nat. War Loan. 97½	Rosario Conv'd. 82½
Transvaal Loan. 95½	"Do Def. 83½
Argentine 1888 108½	Consolidated 108½
"Do Fund'g 108½	Gr. Ind. Ord. 147½
Brazilian 4 p.c. 1888 70½	"Do 1st Pref. 103½
"Do W. of Minas 89½	"Do 2nd " 89½
Chili 1888 88½	"Do 3rd " 39½
Chinese 5 p.c. 1896 69½	Nitrate Ord. 7½
Egyptian United 104½	Aerated Bread 53
Italian 103½	Alloppur Ord. 33½
Japan Gov. 1893 88½	"Do Genl. 90½
"Do 4 p.c. 70½	Gas Light Ord. 92½
Port. Debt. 92½	Hudson Bay 40½
"Do Pref. 91½	London Ord. 110
Portuguese 62½	"Lipton 190½
Russian 4 p.c. 1890 90½	L & L D. D. Ord. 73
Spanish 4 p.c. (Sic) 86½	Nelson's 20½
Turkish 4 p.c. Un'd. 84½	Sweetwater Auto. 150½
Uruguay 5 p.c. 104½	Victoria 140½
Brigntown Def. 121½	Welsh Ord. 9
Calcutta Def. 92½	Anglo-French 30
Central London. 93½	Asiatic G. F. 24½
Chatham Ord. 15½	Assoc. G. M. 28½
"Do Pref. 16½	Barrato Consol. 23
"Do 2nd Pref. 60	Champ. Ref. 18½
Great Eastern 90½	Chartered Coal. 13½
"Do Northern Def. 102½	"Do 2nd " 13½
Great Central A. 142	Corn Gold S.A. 46½
Great Western 142½	Crown Ref. 14½
London & N. Eastern 131	De Beers Def. 53
Midland Pref. 68½	E. Rand. 73½
"Do Def. 68½	E. Rand. M. Est. 42½
North British Def. 44½	G.M. Hauls E. 58½
North Eastern 156½	Gold Coast Amt. 2½
North Western 131½	Gold's Harnessed 10½
South East Def. 68½	Gt. Bid. Per. New 150½
South West Def. 64½	"Do Prop. 27½
"Do Ord. 104½	Gt. Frigate 10½
Atchison 73½	Ivanhoe 73½
Baltimore 82½	Knights 28½
Chesapeake 81½	Lake View Consol. 11½
Chi. Mil. & S. P. 147½	May Consolidated 33½
Denver 29½	Meyer & Chart. 9
Erie Shares 24½	Modderfontein 9½
"Do Pref. 28½	Moscow Gold 60½
Illinois Cent. 138½	Nile Valley 19
L'ville and N'ville 112½	N. Copper 28½
Missouri 17½	Norfolk 110½
Ontario 26½	Oroya B. Hauls 36½
Pennsylvania 25½	Pinaros (New) 70½
Reading 34½	Randfontein 38½
Southern Ord. 21½	Rio Tinto 52½
Southern Pacific 17½	Rand Mines 70½
Union Pacific 80½	Sons Gwalia 118½
U.S. Steel Ord. 9½	Trans. Devel. 11½
"Do Pref. 26½	W. H. & Co. 16½
Wabash Pref. 26½	Wassau 16½
R.A. Gt. South'n 192½	Welgedacht 7½
	Zeeuws Exploit. 13½

* Ex div.

MARRIAGE BAD FOR THE GUARDS.

When a guardsman marries it is an almost inevitable consequence that he resigns his commission. The latest instance is that of a captain, the Hon. Ferdinand Stanley, B.S.O., fourth son of the Earl of Derby, who has resigned his commission to the Grenadier Guards.

It is stated that young officers find that the exacting demands of society are incompatible with close attention to their duty as soldiers. When they are married they have to follow the wife, and not the flag.

DAILY MIRROR

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AXES TO GRIND.

It is no exaggeration to say that no one has the slightest idea what the British Army is for, what duties it is expected to fulfil, or under what conditions it can be best fitted to fulfil them. This may seem a strong statement, but it is absolutely correct.

These words were written, not quite four years ago, by Mr. Arnold-Forster, our present Minister for War. They are quite as correct now as they were when he wrote them.

Then why, you may ask, has he done nothing yet, although he has been at the War Office for several months, to remedy a state of things which we described yesterday as being "humiliating and absurd"? Well, Rome was not built in a day, and great reforms that have been shamefully neglected for a long time cannot be put into operation in the twinkling of an eye.

All the more will they be delayed if stupid obstruction is allowed to be offered, and if people with axes to grind are given the chance to set self-interest against the public interest. This is what is happening at present. As we show elsewhere, the stories of division of opinion within the Cabinet are all moonshine. The people who are opposing Mr. Arnold-Forster's efforts to sweep out the dirty stable are a handful of highly-placed soldiers on the one hand, and the Volunteers on the other.

For the present they have succeeded in holding up the Army Reform scheme, but we cannot believe they will be permitted to do so for long. The country has had quite enough Horse Guards' jobbery; and it wishes to hear no more from those Volunteers who profess to be anxious to serve their country, but will only do it in their own impractical, slipshod way.

Firmness on the part of the Prime Minister in backing up the Secretary for War will soon have its effect. We only hope Mr. Balfour will be firm enough.

At last we know the truth about the state of the garrison at Port Arthur. They have plenty of food—enough to last for months—and they are already living on one crust of bread a day without butter. The soldiers are ill with exposure and famine, and never felt better in their lives. All uniforms are reduced to rags and tatters, and the troops present as smart an appearance as they ever did when they paraded before the Tsar on the Newski Prospect. This is what we gather from the latest telegrams. To-morrow there may be more news, but if it is any less comforting than yesterday's we shall be surprised.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

To imagine that the gratifying of any sense, or the indulging of any delicacy in meat, drink, or apparel, is of itself a vice can never enter into a head that is not disordered by the frenzies of enthusiasm.

These indulgences are only vices when they are pursued at the expense of some virtue, as liberality or charity; in like manner as they are follies when for them a man ruins his fortune and reduces himself to want and beggary.—*David Hume*, Scottish philosopher and historian (1711–1776).

THE LATEST KIND OF OUTRAGE.



As will be seen from our news columns, the Army reform scheme of Mr. Arnold-Forster, who is backed up by Mr. Balfour, is being obstructed by high military officers on the one hand, and representatives of the Volunteers on the other. For the moment the obstructors have gained a success.

THIS MORNING'S GOSSIP.

Everyone is saying how well and active the King has been during the past few weeks. He is interested in everything, and at Madame Bernhard's first appearance on Monday he clapped as loudly as anybody. His Majesty is certainly in the best of health for the trip to Kiel, on which he starts to-morrow evening.

The uncle of the Queen's who is staying with their Majesties is a charmingly simple old gentleman, very much interested in everything, yet very shy of putting himself forward in any way. He is not accustomed in Denmark to so much state as attends the doings of royalty here, and it is quite amusing to see how he looks to his beautiful niece, of whom he is very proud, to see what he ought to be doing next. By the way, he should be called Prince John of Glücksbourg, not Glücksburg, as the papers have had it.

I have no wish to express any opinion upon the charge against Mr. Bob Sievier, nor would it be safe for me to do so if I did wish. But I cannot help remarking that everyone I meet thinks the asking up of such an old charge exceedingly mean. What people are saying is: "Why, if he committed perjury, was he not prosecuted at once? Who is responsible for the delay? And who got the law put in motion after so many years have elapsed since 1898, when he is said to have committed the offence now charged against him?"

I asked an American yesterday what is the secret of Mr. Roosevelt's popularity. "Why is it," I asked, "that although the Republican party managers did not want him for President again, he will be unanimously nominated as the Republican candidate at Chicago to-morrow?" "Did you ever hear what Roosevelt said when he was told that the names of men killed in the Philippines were not being telegraphed home like those of the officers because of the cost?" "No, I never did."

"Well, what happened was this. The telegrams used to say so many men of such-and-such a regiment killed, and the people of every man in the regiment used to be in terrible anxiety till mail news came along. Roosevelt was told that to send the names of privates and the places they came from might cost 25 dollars each. 'Never mind,' he said, 'send an order at once to have the names telegraphed. Those mothers gave the best they had to their country. We won't have them breaking their hearts for 25 dollars. Save the money somewhere else.'"

To-day the wonderful little Franz von Vecsey gives his last violin recital. It is quite possible he may not be heard again in England until he is grown up. What his parents want to do, as soon as they have enough money, is to settle down in

Berlin, and let him go quietly on with his studies. He starts a tour in America next January, and after that he will certainly want to go into retirement for a time. He is a delightfully mischievous, natural little boy now, and it would be a rare pity if he were to be spoiled by overmuch publicity before his character has settled down.

So Lord Curzon will be a millionaire in course of time. That is the meaning of his father-in-law's will. When he succeeds his father and becomes Lord Scarsdale he will own about 11,000 acres, but these do not bring in much of a rent-roll. If he had not won Miss Leiter's heart he would have been a poor man, as peers and politicians go, all his life. Now he is, at any rate, always sure of a roof over his head and a meal of sorts.

Why won't Mr. Caton Woodville pay for his field glasses? It isn't a riddle. It is what a County Court Judge wants to know, and if the fellow has to go to prison. That won't affect his spirits, though, at all. Nothing ever has, and it is highly improbable that anything ever will. He is one of the hardest workers, and also one of the most cheerful people, in the world.

For a man who has been about the world so much he has had wonderfully few adventures. He says that the most dangerous place he knows is a certain street crossing not far from his studio in South Kensington! Once, though, he had only a second or two between him and nothingness. He was sleeping in a hut on the mountains in Montenegro and woke suddenly to find his guide just about to cut his throat with a wicked-looking Albanian knife. The next minute he had knocked the guide senseless with the butt-end of his revolver. He has got that wicked-looking dagger still, and often wonders whether the guide still has the lump on his head!

Captain Josceline Bagot has achieved the distinction of being the first M.P. to appear at Westminster this year in a straw hat. It must be confessed that he has never distinguished himself in the House of Commons in any other way. All the same he was a most careful and tactful Press censor at Cape Town during the war. The way he smiled at correspondents touched their hearts even when he wouldn't let them send their messages through.

Captain Bagot used to be in the Grenadiers, and has always been reckoned one of the few M.P.'s with whom that severe critic the "Tailor and Cutter" has no fault to find. He has a very nice wife, who went out to South Africa to look after him, and a lovely old house in Westmorland, which has the most famous formal garden in England. It was at Leven's Hall that Mrs. Humphry Ward stayed while she was writing "Marcella," her famous tirade against the game laws.

A MAN OF THE HOUR.

The Minister for War.

Few people like Mr. Arnold-Forster. But that is merely because few people know him. Furthermore, he is a good deal cleverer than the majority of those he comes across, and he does not take sufficient pains to conceal the fact.

A story is told against him to this effect—that, meeting at dinner once, before he became famous, an admiral, a general, and a well-known politician, he told the first how to manage the Navy, the second what the Army ought to be, and the third why the House of Commons had become such a fatuous institution.

But the dolts who think that this tells against Arnold-Forster forget that he knew far more about naval matters than the admiral; had a much sounder view of our military position than the general; and had a mind half-a-dozen times as sharp and well-stocked with information as the well-known politician's.

Really, he is a pleasant fellow of immense ability and common-sense, who is in his right place at the War Office. His qualifications for his job he once explained himself:

"Of the actual experiences of war I do not pretend to have any knowledge, but of soldiers I have seen something. I have been at the manoeuvres of nearly every army in Europe, and constantly at those of our own troops. I have marched with infantry regiments and ridden with the artillery. I have seen artillery firing and experiments in gunnery of every kind. I know our camps, barracks, and arsenals. I have had the good fortune to become acquainted with soldiers of every rank and in every branch of the service."

He used to think he always "knew best"; but since he nearly got drowned through skating on ice which had been pronounced dangerous he admits that sometimes it is as well to take advice.

He is naturally a serious person, for is he not a nephew of Mrs. Humphry Ward?

QUESTION AND ANSWER.

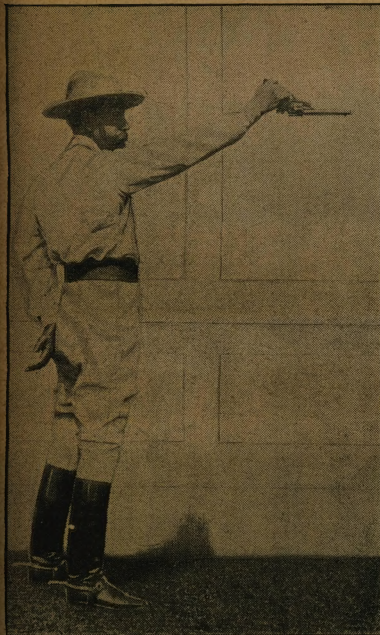
How Have the By-Elections Since 1900 Affected the Unionist Majority?

In 1900 the Government returned to power with a majority of 134 over Liberals and Irish Nationalists combined.

That majority has now been reduced to 107. Up to the time of the opening of Mr. Chamberlain's Protection campaign the Government had lost six seats. Since May, 1903, they have had to part with eight more.

They cannot count even upon a majority of 107. Between forty and fifty of those who sit on the Ministerial side are free-traders, while a few who were elected as Conservatives now vote regularly on the Liberal side.

AN ALBERT HALL "BISLEY."



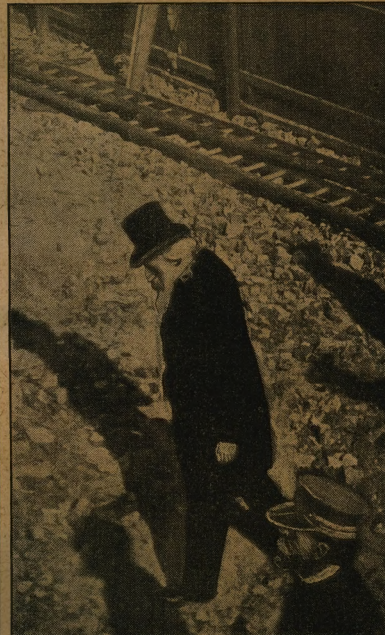
Mr. Walter Winans, the famous revolver shot, who is conducting a miniature Bisley at the Nursery Rhymes Bazaar at the Albert Hall.—(Photograph by Rouch and Co.)

"LA DIVINE SARAH."



Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who has begun her short London season at His Majesty's Theatre. The King and Queen attended the opening night.—(Photograph by W. Barnett.)

THE "GENERAL" INSPECTS THE BATTLEFIELD.



General Booth inspecting the erection of the wonderful temporary building which has been erected in the Strand for the Salvation Army World's Congress. Meetings commence on Friday next.

THE "DAI"



Mr. D. M. Weigel about 2,000 miles non-stop to secure reliable in the Gordon-Bennett.

TRIUMPH FOR A BRITISH YACHT.



The yawl-rigged yacht Valdora, owned by Dr. Douglas Kerr, winner of the Dover to Heligoland race for the German Emperor's Cup. The yachts met heavy weather in the North Sea, but there were luckily no casualties. (Photograph by Baker and Son.)

U.S. PRESIDENT AGAIN.



President Roosevelt, renominated yesterday for the Presidency.

VICTORIOUS GENERAL.



General Nodzu, in command of the Japanese army which has cut up the Russians under General Stackelberg.

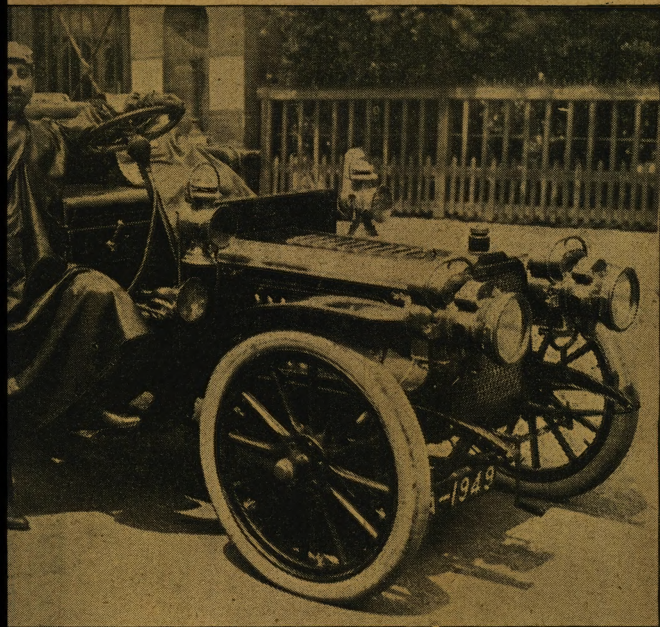


While loaded with prisoners the Brixton "Black Maria" broke down across the tram lines and blocked the traffic. When the photograph was taken the prisoners were still inside.



Yesterday, in the gardens of St. James's Palace, the Duke of Connaught, with the men, who numbered about a hundred, on the

IROR" CAR STARTS ITS 2,000 MILES RUN TO-DAY.



op on board the "Daily Mirror" motor-car, on which he starts to-day for the great car is a 20-h.p. Talbot car, fitted with Clincher tyres. The test is arranged in order on as to the capacities of ordinary touring cars, as contrasted with races such as to runs from London to Perth and back (1,800 miles), and then from London to Portsmouth, via Brighton, and back.



ine was pulling a load of trucks, filled with bricks and aw, up Tottenham Court-road a spark set the straw on as an exciting blaze. The flames were checked by a ing shopkeeper with a patent fire extinguisher.



pected the Yeomen of the Guard. He complimented appearance.—(Photograph by Ball.)

A QUEEN'S COLLABORATOR.



Floriozal von Reuter, the twelve-year-old German violinist, who is collaborating with "Garmen Sylva," the Queen of Roumania, in a Joan of Arc opera.



Mme. Roger-Miclos, the famous Parisian pianist, who re-appears in London, at the Aeolian Hall, to-morrow.

THE NEWRY STEEPLEJACK'S STRONGHOLD.



Although the police have been unable to catch James Gill, the Newry steeplejack, the "Mirror" photographer has been more successful. The photograph is unluckily a very poor one, but it clearly shows Gill on the airy perch from which the police cannot dislodge him.

How to Save Money.

See page 6.

THE GREEK PLAY AT BRADFELD COLLEGE YESTERDAY.



Yesterday was the first day of the Greek play which is performed every three years by the boys of Bradfield College in the open-air theatre, made out of an old chalk pit. The play will be performed again on Saturday and on two days next week.

STRAWBERRIES AS A FOOD AND A COSMETIC.

THE FRUIT SEASON.

USE MADE OF AN ABUNDANT STRAWBERRY CROP.

To many people the uncooked strawberry is the fruit at its best. There are, however, many ways of cooking it that make a pleasant change.

Moreover there is another manner in which the strawberry may be utilised, namely, as a cosmetic.

Halve a strawberry and rub it over the teeth. It will whiten them and harden the gums. Use upon the complexion the following excellent strawberry paste: Take one pound of fresh strawberries, half an ounce of gum tragacanth, one ounce of orris powder, one ounce of almond meal, three ounces of juice of lemons, and half a pint of rose-water. Dissolve the tragacanth in sufficient rose-water to make a mucilage, and then crush the strawberries and mix them in before straining the result. Add the orris root and almond meal, and, last of all, the lemon juice. This is excellent as an aid against tan, and in removing it, and it should be used at night. In the morning wash it off and apply a face cream immediately. Strawberries, are, indeed neglected if they are used only as food.

A very good jelly may be made of strawberries as a sweet.

STRAWBERRY JELLY.—Choose fine fresh fruit. Remove the stems; prepare a syrup with half a pound of sugar to a gill of water, and boil it thoroughly. Throw in the strawberries, and bring them again to the boil, taking care that they do not break. Remove them carefully from the syrup; dip each of them in the well-beaten yolk of an egg; powder them with sugar, and arrange them in a glass dish. Dissolve half an ounce of gelatine in a little water, and add it to the juice. Strain it

into the dish, and set the dish aside to cool. Serve it with frothed cream poured over.

CRYSTALLISED STRAWBERRIES IN JELLY.—Prepare a syrup with a gill of water to a pound of sugar; heat until it forms "strings" when poured from the spoon. Have ready firm, ripe strawberries, remove the stalks, and with a sharp needle thread each on to a string. Dip each strawberry carefully in the syrup, and hang them up to dry: Butter a fancy mould with a hollow centre, and when the strawberries are dry, arrange them round the sides. Fill the mould up with wine jelly, and set it aside until firm. Turn it out and fill in the centre with whipped cream.

STRAWBERRY TART.—For this slightly bruised fruit may be utilised. Line a deep pie dish with puff paste, and cover the bottom with strawberries; sprinkle them with sugar, and add the following mixture: cup and a half of sugar, one tablespoonful of cornflour, yolks of three eggs well beaten, and two cups of water. Mix them thoroughly. Heat the mixture over the fire until it begins to thicken, pour the fruit over, and bake it until the pastry is done. Froth the whites of the eggs with enough sugar to form a meringue mixture, and pour this over the tart, which must set in the oven until it is firm, but not brown.

STRAWBERRY SNOW.—Lightly bruise a pound of strawberries with half a pound of sugar; cook them over the fire, and pass them through a hair sieve. Dissolve half an ounce of gelatine in half a

AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY.

BARGAINS IN LINEN AND MUSLIN.

The demands made upon one's resources in the matter of shirts, blouses, and linen dresses make a sale at enormous reductions of these charming and beautiful habiliments a great occasion. Such a sale is being held now at Maude Taylor's, 163b, Sloane-street, where some of the most wonderful bargains may be amassed, and any hiatus that the wardrobe reveals may be exquisitely filled.

The dress that is sketched on this page is a marige-blue linen one, charmingly trimmed with white linen and one of the new washing braids. It may be made to order—which is, of course, a great advantage, for no two figures are exactly of the same build—for three guineas, or may be bought ready-made, and can be supplied in any colour of linen, advantages that should count with the prospective purchaser.

This toilette is one of many that range from £2 2s. upwards in Maude Taylor's repertoire. As

very fascinating. The daintiest possible muslin dressing gowns are being cleared out at 6s. 11d. each, while nun's veiling, accordion-pleated ones at 18s. 11d. and 29s. 11d., which were two and three guineas apiece previously, are real bargains. Among the silk skirts those at 10s. 11d., 16s. 11d., and 21s. 6d. are sure to be quickly snapped up, while for hot summer weather wear the muslin, batiste and lawn ones beginning at the ridiculous price of 1s. 11d., though they are trimmed with embroidery, are almost too wonderfully cheap to believe in without being seen.

Purchasers who live at a distance should write for a sale catalogue, the illustrations of which will give them all the information they require as to the appearance of Maude Taylor's wares. They should also secure, if possible, one of the lined black voile skirts, trimmed with lace insertion and finished with a deep gauged flounce, that cost just under thirty shillings.

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pint of boiling water, pour it on the fruit pulp, and, lastly, add the well-beaten whites of two eggs. Whisk all together until they are of the consistency of stiff sponge. Set it aside until cold, and serve it with whipped cream.

A QUARTERLY PRODUCTION.

The current number of "The Seasons," price three pence, deals with the fashions from June to August in a very comprehensive manner. The great subject of blouses forms a salient feature of the number, and there are some exceedingly pretty illustrations of millinery; while raiment for children is another topic by no means neglected in this handy little compendium of the modes.

The cookery corner contains useful hints as to provisions for a river picnic, and holiday-makers will be interested in a series of hints connected with a sea trip, in which the subject of dress is touched upon and some useful advice is offered.

The catalogue of fascinations the paper affords does not end here, for it includes a short story, a travel article, and a forecast of what the summer proper, upon which, according to the calendar we enter to-day, will produce.

her stock comprises all the latest creations from Paris, Berlin, and Vienna, it will be conceded that she has many desirable wares to sell, and that during the next three weeks it is likely that her premises will be besieged by buyers.

Cool Confections.

As to her blouses, has she not muslin ones at prices that begin at the modest sum of 3s. 11d., these desirable dainties being made of soft batiste in all colours, trimmed with an excellent imitation of Cluny lace? For the modest sum of 6s. 11d., 500 cream Japanese blouses, all well trimmed and of the newest design, that cost before the sale 12s. 11d., are being offered to the public. Shirts that were some of them over two guineas and some not much under one guinea are being practically given away at 10s. 11d., 21s., and 29s. 11d. The smartest white muslin shirts, either plain or spotted, cost 11s. 11d. now, whereas before they were priced at 25s. 6d., and there are numbers of other models for which less than half their usual price is asked.

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likely to alter the verdict in the case of English audiences.

THE TOWER OF BABEL.

Salvationists from the Ends of the Earth Gather for the Great Strand Congress.

Babel will be let loose in the Strand on Saturday. The Salvation Army will then hold an opening meeting at their Congress Hall—a temporary building erected on the vacant frontage of Kingsway.

Delegates from all parts of the world will be present, and the strange diversities of language will rival the many tongues of the workers in the biblical Babel.

On Friday the Congress opens with a grand reception at the Albert Hall, when General Booth will address a vast and very remarkable gathering.

Many of the delegates, who are being lodged in Clapton, understand English. To the others the gist of the proceedings will be interpreted, either

nothing but fruit. In Ceylon she is Buddhist; in India she is Hindoo. Yet thousands of natives are every year converted to Christianity.

When the great meetings begin, visitors may like to know that when a debilitated Singalese exclaims "Deviduta prasansa," he means "Praise be to God." Frequently he will be heard to answer to the General's eloquence with "Thajas, thajas," which is to say "Glory, glory!"

The Gujaratis, too, will, whenever something strikes them, call "Thop cha loh," the meaning of which is "Hallelujah, fire a volley!" "Hosanna," by the way, is the same in all languages.

From other sides of the great hall will arise the "Dieu soit loué!" and "Alléluia!" of the Frenchmen; the "Que Dios sea laudado!" of the Spaniards; and the "Gracias a Dios!" of the Spaniards; while our Teuton friends will thank God with "Gott sei dank!"

NO RUSSIANS PRESENT.

From Canada a contingent of 200 has arrived, including the Bermudas' band. Naturally, many of the Colonials are taking this opportunity to visit friends in the old country. With the Canadian contingent there are rough-riders from the prairies



The great Congress Hall specially erected for the Salvation Army Congress on a piece of "improvement" land in the Strand.

orally or by writing. There will be no difficulty about the singing. The Army's hymn tunes are known wherever it has planted its colours. The choruses of many are sung in English, even by Salvationists who do not speak English.

There will, however, be singing and instrumental performances representative of all nations, and some of the contingents from the East have brought their own musicians.

MRS. BESANT'S FRUIT DIET.

Perhaps the most interesting group at Clapton is made up by the strangely mixed party from Hindustan. There are Singalese, Gujaratis, Mahatras, and men and women from Southern India and the Punjab.

An officer, speaking perfect English—without even one of Mr. Anstey's Babuisms—is ready to tell you that the Salvation Army is doing splendidly in India.

He said: "We have brought with us an ex-Buddhist priest, who threw away his robes and became a soldier of the Cross."

"Is it not true that sometimes Europeans turn to Buddhism?"

"Oh, yes, and it does harm to our cause. Mrs. Besant, for instance, creates an impression on the native mind. She does striking things in a striking way—sits in state on a leopard's skin, and eats

and Indians from Alaska. Field-Commissioner Eva Booth is their leader.

With the United States division there are several negroes. From South America come four swarthy men of Spanish race and tongue; and from the West Indies men and women, both white and coloured. Then there are Afrikanders and Boers from South Africa, and representatives in national dress from nearly all over Europe.

The Japanese, under Captain Yama Maru, at once arrest the eye. This officer runs the only paying religious newspaper in Japan. Of course, it is the Japanese "War Cry." He and his comrades are as full of strength, endurance, and nerve as Kuroki's soldiers in that other army in far Manchuria.

Instinctively, one looks for a Russian division, to see the Russ and the Jap for once comrades in arms. But there are no Russians here. Even the Salvation Army has never succeeded in overcoming the barriers Russia sets up against civilisation. There is, however, a band of Finns, in national costume, under Colonel Ogrin.

One of the Japs, answering a question, says slowly, "We should like to see some Russians here and clasp their hands. For we are all brothers."

A photograph of General Booth inspecting the erection of the Congress building appears on page 8.

MIRACLE-WORKER LENGTHENS LEGS.

Among the cures that are claimed to have been effected by William Rae, the miracle-worker of Blantyre, is that of a hunchback, who is stated to be now a perfectly normal man.

A man afflicted with a short leg has also been treated, with the result that the shorter limb is lengthened to equal that of its fellow.

Rae attributes no virtue to himself, but says he has a "gift."

Cripples are visiting him from all parts of the country.

BEES ROUT A MOUNTED POLICEMAN.

VIENNA, Monday.

Traffic was stopped yesterday in Andrássy-street, one of the biggest thoroughfares of Budapest, for a considerable time by a swarm of bees.

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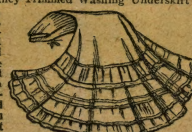
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